

Mayor Issues Proclamation Setting Sunday as Hamlin-for-Christ Day

Whereas, strong churches are essential to a healthy community life; and

Whereas, the spiritual life of every citizen is of vital importance to responsible government; and

Whereas, the keeping of the Sabbath is a command of God and has always been characteristic of a Christian civilization; and

Whereas, the officials of the City of Hamlin recognize the importance of our churches and their ministry, and share responsibility and contribute support;

Now, therefore, I, L. H. McBride, mayor of the City of Hamlin, Texas, do hereby proclaim Sunday, February 22, as Hamlin-for-Christ Day and respectfully solicit the cooperation of the entire citizenry.

In testimony whereof, I hereto sign my name and seal of office this 10th day of February, 1959.

L. H. McBRIDE, Mayor.

Most Farmers Favor Plan A for Cotton

Over 170 Jones County farmers turned out last Thursday night to hear Cecil Parker, farm management specialist from Texas A. & M. College Extension Service, explain the plan A and B cotton allotment program, according to County Agent Kirby Clay-

Letha's Style Shop Will Open Friday in Former Hall Location

Letha's is the name of the new ladies' fashion store being opened tomorrow (Friday) in the Russell building next door to the gas office, formerly occupied by Hall Paint and Wallpaper Store. Mrs. Letha Maberry is the proprietor.

Brand new stocks of conventional and sports wear, undergarments and accessories are being stocked by the new store. Standards brands are to be featured.

Mrs. Maberry was in Dallas over the week-end buying spring and summer merchandise, as well as display fixtures.

While the new concern will be open for business beginning Friday, the formal opening of the store will be held later, it is announced by Mrs. Maberry, well known in the Hamlin territory.

Ground Breaking Ceremony for New McCaulley Baptist Church Conducted

Members of McCaulley Baptist Church conducted a ground breaking service Sunday. The service was held at the site of the proposed new building, where the old building had stood. Completion of the razing of the old structure last week made ready for the new building construction to begin.

The ground breaking was conducted immediately following the morning worship service of the congregation. The church is using facilities of the McCaulley Schools for their services.

At the close of the morning service the entire congregation went to the site of the new building where the ground breaking service was opened with singing of the hymn, "Rock of Ages," led by the church's music director, G. W. Joplin. R. B. Hennington, long time resident and member of the church, voiced the opening prayer. Following the prayer, testimonies were heard by several of the members, including Mrs. R. B. Hennington, Mrs. Gene Brock, wife of the pastor; and Callens George, contractor of the new structure.

First spadeful of dirt was lifted by Mrs. W. F. Davidson, one of the older active members of the church. Second in order of spading a shovelful of dirt was Ernest Webb, chairman of the board of deacons, with the other deacons, B. F. Short, G. W. Joplin, Albert George and Callens George, standing behind him. Albert George, chairman of the building committee, surrounded by members of the building committee, lifted the third shovelful of dirt. The pastor, Rev. Gene Brock, lifted a fourth shovelful of dirt, and then led in the closing prayer of the service.

After the closing prayer, all the congregation was invited to spade some dirt on the foundation of the new building, and most accepted the invitation to have a part in the new building construction.

Mrs. R. B. Hennington expressed the feeling of the church group as she said: "This is the day that we have all been looking forward to for a long time, and how glad we are that it is here."

The congregation is now anticipating the completion of the T-shaped structure that will be valued at approximately \$20,000.

The former frame church building was built 30 years ago.

Bid for Boys' Correctional Institution Appears Late

Hamlin-for-Christ Day Hopes to Fill Churches Sunday

Record church attendance is expected Sunday in practically all the churches of Hamlin when the climax of a church emphasizing campaign is reached in the Hamlin-for-Christ Day is reached.

The project, the second of its kind conducted in the city, is being sponsored by members of the Hamlin Ministerial Alliance, representing most of the churches of the city. Last year's Hamlin-for-Christ Day was greatly hampered by a blizzard. Balmier weather is hoped for this year's observance.

Purpose of the Hamlin-for-Christ Day is to point up the vital role the churches of the community play in the life of citizens of the territory. Special services are planned by the participating churches. Blanket invitations are extended to everyone in the community to be in the church of his choice for all services Sunday. Regular attendance at church, of attendance at church services, of course, is the eventual goal of the day, declares Rev. Calvin Bailey, pastor of the First Baptist Church, president of the alliance.

A concerted advertising campaign has been underway for several weeks. Advertisements in Your Home Town Paper have been carried for three weeks. A handbill is due to be placed in every home in the community this week. A telephone campaign is planned for today (Thursday). Ribbons are being distributed this week advertising the day, to be worn by church members and others.

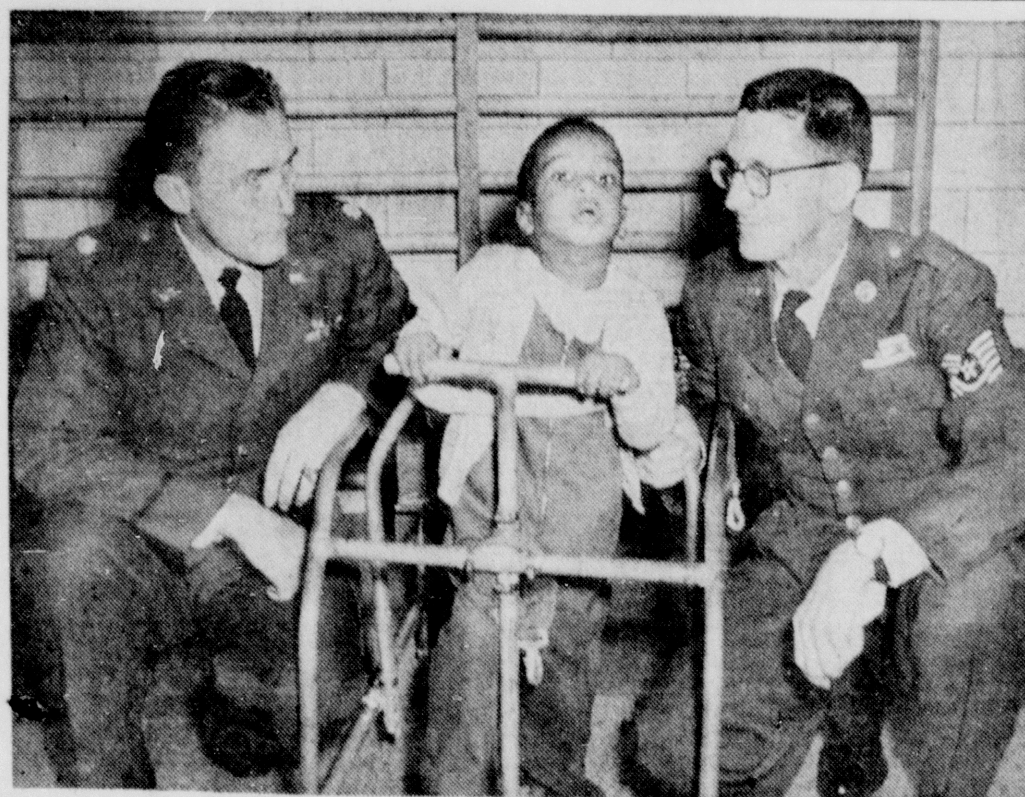
Churches participating in the Hamlin-for-Christ Day event are Foursquare Gospel, Assembly of God, United Pentecostal, Calvary Baptist, North Central Avenue Baptist, Faith Methodist, First Methodist, Oak Grove Colored Baptist, Mexican Baptist, Church of the Nazarene, Sunset Baptist and First Baptist.

School Leaders Plan Visits to Area Schools

Series of visits to several schools slightly larger than Hamlin's to study curriculums and coordination of courses is planned for the next several weeks by Superintendent of Schools C. F. Cook, High School Principal B. V. Newberry and Junior High School Principal M. B. Carlton, it is announced this week by Cook.

The study is being made in order to synchronize and coordinate Hamlin's courses with other schools and to help prepare a curriculum guide for the Hamlin school system.

Included in the list of schools to be visited are Breckenridge, Colorado City, Snyder, Sweetwater, Lamesa and probably others, Cook said.



NEW WALKER DEMONSTRATED—Building rights and plans to the Gager Walker were presented to West Texas Rehabilitation Center Friday by Master Sergeant Jack Gager (right), inventor of the orthopedic walker. Lieutenant Colonel Reo Trail (left), vice commander of Dyess Air Force Base at Abilene, watch as two-year-old Hubert James Cork Jr., cerebral palsy victim from Hamlin, tries out the economical walker. Sergeant Gager, en route from Mather Air Force Base, California, to Paris, France, for assignment, decided to present his invention to WTRC while visiting a friend at Dyess AFB. Hastily constructed by Sergeant Gager, the walker shown here cost about \$25. WTRC Director Shelly Smith said similar factory built walker cost from \$75 to \$125. (Photocourtesy of Abilene Reporter-News).

Heart Fund Drive Climaxes With Solicitation on Sunday

Finishing Touches Being Given Class Play Slated Friday

Finishing touches are being put on the annual play of the junior class of Hamlin High School, "Father Knows Best," to be presented tomorrow (Friday) evening at the high school auditorium, report officials of the class.

Besides the cast itself, Mrs. Charles Scott, class sponsor, and other personnel have worked hard to make the play a success. Student directors are Peggy Dodd and Sam Mack Hodges. Publicity chairman is Ken Prewitt. The stage crew, under the direction of T. C. Blankinship, another class sponsor, are Ronny Fleckenstein and Richard Winegart. Iona Seaton and Terry Scott are in charge of the ticket sales. Make-up is directed by Linda Perry, Betty Galloway and Sharon Sims. Typists are Phyllis Hollis and Lana Lancaster.

Class leaders declare: "Bring your whole family, from Junior to Grandpa; your neighbors, too, and enjoy a full evening of fun for only 50 and 25 cents, plus 25 cents for reserved seats." Curtain time is 7:30 p. m.



NEW COMMANDER of the Texas National Guard is First Lieutenant Joe E. Ford (above) of Hamlin. He succeeds Captain James W. Lindsey, who has been unit commanding officer since 1950.

BOOK HONORS DECEASED.

The book, "To Live Again" by Catherine Marshall, has been placed on the memorial shelf of the Harden Memorial Library in memory of Mrs. O. D. Roland by the Woman's Literary Club. Mrs. Roland, former president of the Literary Club and long time civic leader, died three weeks ago.

Club Women to Make Door-to-Door Campaign

Annual campaign for the Heart Fund in the Hamlin community is scheduled to be climaxed Sunday afternoon in a door-to-door solicitation of funds by representatives of eight women's clubs of the city, according to Wesley Nail, community fund chairman.

Already good response has been reported by Nail to the mail campaign conducted in the business section, Nail says. More than \$100 had been received through the mail by mid-week.

Representatives from the eight women's organization agreeing to assist with the Sunday afternoon drive are due to report in the basement of the First Methodist Church Sunday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock to receive final instructions and drive material, Nail said Tuesday. About 40 workers are due to be present from the Xi Gamma Phi and Beta Theta Sororities, Fifty-Two Study Club, Hamlin Garden Club, Woman's Literary Club, Business and Professional Women's Club, Firemen's Auxiliary and Friendship Home Demonstration Club.

Solicitors will go from door to door in the two-hour campaign in the residential section. Each will be identified by the official Heart Fund badge.

No goal for the Heart Fund drive has been set in the community, but generous support is expected, according to Austin Siburt of Hamlin, county chairman of the Jones County Heart Fund Association. Seventy per cent of the money collected will be retained in the county for diagnostic equipment, class instruction, etc.

Intelligence Tests for Junior High Given

Intelligence tests have been given to seventh and eighth grade students at Hamlin Junior High school, reports Principal Marvin Carlton.

Eighth grade students were given the Otis intermediate test of mental maturity, form A. Seventh grade pupils took the Pintner intermediate test of mental maturity, form B. Parents are invited to come to the school and examine the tests of their children, declares Carlton. Intelligence test results are not given to the child.

Citizens Urged to Awaken to Plight Of Community

Recent efforts of the Hamlin Board of Community Development to secure the location of correctional school for the Hamlin area have been given some attention in Austin, but leaders of the project were advised first of the week that apparently the effort is a little late. This information was given at the Monday evening regular meeting of the board of directors of the BCD by Carl Murrell, chairman of the industrial development committee of the civic organization.

Murrell and his committee had communicated with Representative Leon Thurman of Anson at Austin and with Representative Max Carraker of Roby. Investigation by the representatives indicated that a nearby city had previously pushed the project before it became generally known here, and that city had offered 320 acres of land valued at some \$175,000 for the school. An Abilene representative has already introduced a bill in the Legislature to establish the institution near there, according to letters from Thurman to Murrell.

However, this action will not deter the action by Murrell's committee in behalf of the project, the committee chairman avowed.

Murrell's committee also has development projects in mind for the ensuing year.

Air Conditioning for Courthouse Ordered

Advertisement calling for bids for installation of a hot and chilled water air conditioning system for the Jones County courthouse is this week being run by the Commissioners Court through J. G. Andrews Jr., county judge.

The air conditioning would be for the basement, second and third floors, and would be attached to the present similar system operated last year on the first floor of the county office building.

Bids are asked for by 10:00 a. m. on March 9. The Commissioners Court makes the usual reservations to refuse all bids.

Clothes for Destitute Packed by Methodists

Members of the First Methodist Church recently completed the assembling of several boxes of used clothing, to be sent to the Church World Service for distribution to the needy overseas. A total of 365 pounds of clothing was packed into the shipment.

Merchants Motor Lines agreed to handle the clothing shipment without charge, points out Rev. Edmund W. Robb, church pastor.



Four new citizens have been recorded at the Hamlin Memorial Hospital since last report in The Herald. Two boys and two girls, they are:

A boy for Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kemp of McCaulley arrived February 6. His weight was checked at a light six pounds 12 ounces, and he was assigned Freddie Max for a name.

A girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Bounds of Wichita Falls on February 9. He will answer to Sammie Darlene. He tipped the scales at seven pounds two ounces at birth.

A boy for Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cary discovered America on February 11. After having his weight tabbed at eight pounds eight ounces he accepted Russell Keith for a label.

A girl arrived for Mr. and Mrs. Billy W. Jeffrey on February 13. The eight-pound 14-ounce little miss said Fonda Gail would suit her for a name.

HOW BOUT THAT By RALPH TEE



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THE CRUELEST TAX OF ALL LEVIED TODAY

Millions of Americans are paying a heavy, cruel and dangerous tax that has never been authorized by any Congress. It is a tax that takes up to half the income of many people. It is a cruel tax because it weighs heaviest upon those least able to pay—widows, children, pensioners and retired people who worked hard to save for their later years.

It is a dangerous tax because it has toppled democratic governments, bred dictators and led to wars.

This tax is inflation!

Inflation is an excess of demand over supply. Spending for goods increases faster than the supply of goods. The result is rising prices and a declining value of money.

Legislative bodies seldom authorize or impose inflation directly. But they do adopt policies that lead to inflation. Such policies at present are promoting inflation by allowing wages to be raised faster than productivity, an authorizing government expenditures in excess of receipts.

Labor productivity is increasing at the rate of three per cent per year. We permit greater increases in wages. Consequently prices must

be raised to make up the difference. That is simple arithmetic.

When our government spends more than its income the treasury must "borrow" the difference. Some of the borrowing is from commercial banks which is simply an indirect way of creating new money. The spending of this money increases the demand for products.

Inflation hurts almost everyone. It cuts the value of life insurance policies, savings deposits, bonds, social security and other retirement credits.

Inflation helped to crush the South during the Civil War. During the 1920s inflation in Germany spawned Adolph Hitler and led to World War II.

When you bought U. S. government bonds 10 years ago the slogan was "Invest \$3 and get back \$4." Millions invested—only to find a \$4 received bought hardly as much as \$3 of the \$3 invested.

An increasing number of economists, public officials and other citizens are becoming concerned about the increase in this cruellest tax. It seems likely, however, that the public will support inflationary policies for the next several years.

We will have to learn the hard way!

Cover-to-Cover Readers

According to a front page article in The Publishers Auxiliary, Alan R. McGinnis, chairman of the board of a Milwaukee advertising agency, stated: "... It is my opinion, although not officially documented, that subscribers of weekly newspapers will come closer to being cover-to-cover readers than any other print medium available...."

"I don't subscribe to the thought that the way to get maximum return on the client dollar is necessarily that of buying as much circulation as possible."

Along with the obvious advantages of a reasonable column rates is the fact that a page ad in a weekly will hit the eye like a rocket burst and he will remember the advertiser's name and product because it is not buried in 40 or 50 pages of newspaper.

Editorial of the Week

ARE CROP CONTROLS A FAILURE?

Many people are looking at our big crops and saying that production controls have been a failure.

Failed to do what? It is true that they have failed to reduce production enough to maintain prices at a fair level. But is there anyone who will not agree that if we hadn't had some kind of production control, we would have had very much larger surpluses than we have today? With our tremendous ability to grow big crops, unlimited production would have put our farmers in the poorhouse by now.

Moreover, when folks talk about production control in the sense that a real conscientious effort has been made to hold our supply of farm commodities to fair price market demand, they are speaking of something that does not now and never has existed. Except for cotton and tobacco, and possibly one or two other crops at times, we haven't made a real effort to control production. Wheat controls have been haphazard and the corn program has been a farce. When the government agrees to support prices for the unlimited production of corn at a level almost as high as the support prices offered the grower who controls his production, how can we expect production control to work?

Along with our other surpluses, we have also had a surplus of bungling in the handling of our farm program. All we need to cap the climax is to do away with production control. It is to be hoped that we shall not commit the supreme folly of destroying the only hope we have of making any sort of farm program work.—The Progressive Farmer.

RECALLING Other Years

★ Being news items taken from old files of Your Home Town Newspaper, The Herald.

THIRTY YEARS AGO

In checking over our early day files of The Hamlin Herald we find the following items of interest taken from the issue dated February 22, 1929:

Truett May, student in Simmons University at Abilene, spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. P. May.

Despite the lull in building that must come during the winter months, several new houses in the city are nearing completion. During the past year more new houses have been built in Hamlin than ever before in the same length of time since the first building of the town.

Homer Massey of the Chamber of Commerce says that work on the new water site northeast of town is progressing nicely.

Dr. and Mrs. A. E. Pardue and Mrs. Velta Pardue King spent a few days in San Angelo this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Neinst of Sweetwater were, guests Sunday in the home of Mrs. Mart Farrow and Rev. and Mrs. J. Henry Little. Mrs. Neinst will be remembered here as Thelma Sykes, a former teacher in the Hamlin schools.

Contract was let first of the week by City of Hamlin officials for construction of a new city lake north of town on the T Diamond Ranch. Joe Winslett was low bidder on the \$108,000 project that is expected to provide water for a city of 25,000 people.

TWENTY YEARS AGO

Among items of interest in the Hamlin community 20 years ago were the following, reprinted from the issue of The Hamlin Herald dated February 17, 1939:

Superintendent of Schools C. G. Green this week is urging that everyone who has delinquent taxes, due the school district to make a special effort to pay them, as the schools are being pressed for operating funds.

Using a Valentine theme, Virginia Sue Flowers entertained members of the Philathea Sunday School Class of the First Baptist Church Tuesday evening in her home. Present were Elva Greenway, teacher; Juanita Harbert, Kathleen Elliott, Mary Stovall, Dorothy Hines, Betty Myrl Routh, Ruth Eckler, Inez Howard and the hostess.

Clover Farm Store advertises the following specials: Three-pound can Crisco, 53 cents; family style steak, 17 cents pound; cans, No. 2 1/2 can, 21 cents.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Waggoner and son, Jerry, visited Mrs. Waggoner's brother, Billy Fomby, and sister, Grace Fomby, Sunday at Kermit.

TEN YEARS AGO

News items of interest in the Hamlin community 10 years ago included the following, reproduced from the issue of The Hamlin Herald dated February 17, 1949:

Record number of entries for the annual Club Boys' Livestock Show, to be held this year at Anson on March 4, is in prospect, according to W. H. Lehmborg, county agent.

Haskell W. Carter was elected president and W. C. Russell vice president of the Hamlin Chamber of Commerce when directors of the civic group met Tuesday morning in business session.

Hamlin Pied Piper basketballers closed their 1949 season Friday night with a 47 to 26 defeat of the Stamford cagers. The victory gave the Pipers a season percentage of .500 in District 6-A.

FIVE YEARS AGO

Goings-on in the community five years ago included the following as recorded in The Hamlin Herald dated February 19, 1954:

Around 400 people are expected to attend the annual membership banquet of the Hamlin Chamber of Commerce Thursday night at the Junior High School auditorium, according to CC officials.

Construction workers for the big \$500,000 gas plant of the Texas Pacific Coal & Oil Company gas plant, to be built northwest of Hamlin, have arrived on the job.

Total of 49,176 bales of cotton had been ginned in Jones County prior to January 16, according to the latest government report.

ONE YEAR AGO

The following news bits were taken from the issue of the Hamlin Herald dated February 20, 1958:

Navy Lieutenant Commander M. O. Allen, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Allen of Hamlin, is serving with a military group in Antarctica on a South Pole expedition.

About half a mile of six-inch water main is being laid by the City of Hamlin in western sections of town.

Closed Circuit TV to Facilitate Sales During Auctions at Fort Worth Market

Arrangements have been completed by the Fort Worth Live Stock Market Institute for installation of a closed circuit television camera to flash the weighing of cattle into the sale arena on March 5, declares Ted Gouldy, special market reporter for The Herald, in his weekly market release. The release continues: The television camera will be set up in a scale house about 200 feet from the sale arena and the weight and lot number will be flashed onto a monitor above and behind the auctioneer's stand in the sale arena.

Details for the TV coverage of the weighing were worked out last week with Carter Engineering Company of Dallas, after Manager Ted Gouldy of the institute had called in Ivan Harrison of Dallas and Rupert Bogan, technical chief at WBAI-TV, to work out details of the pick-up.

"The camera will be literally 'looking over the shoulder' of the weighmasters in the scale house, which houses two sets of scales. As soon as the weight is officially stamped on the scale ticket the weighmaster will put the lot number and weight total before the lens where it will be available to those in the sale area in another building nearly a block away."

"This will enable the buyers to tell better what they are doing," Gouldy said. "Weight is an important factor not only from the size of cattle desired, but also it will enable the alert buyer to keep abreast of the numbers of carloads of cattle he is getting."

The sale will be the first one in which cattle have been auctioned on the Fort Worth stockyards in 36 years, and the auction will be held in the old livestock exhibit building immediately behind the North Side Coliseum.

Many stockmen are among the buyers who have asked for reservations in the reserved seats in the building.

Gouldy said, and a number of out-of-town packers have signified they will be on hand. Pratt Packing Company of Sulphur Springs was the first of these to make a reservation for his two buyers, T. C. Lupton, Dallas businessman and rancher at Mesquite, was the first rancher to make a reservation.

Private treaty selling of the cattle will start at 8:00 a. m., and auction selling will get underway at 10:00 a. m.

"We included auction selling in the 1959 series of special sales at the request of many buyers and many stockmen who have used the sale previously," Gouldy said. "Many buyers feel it is easier to get a chance to bid for cattle in the auction type of sale, so for those who prefer to buy or sell by this method, we will have it."

A team of auctioneers will alternate in selling the cattle, and special arrangements are being made to facilitate the movement of the cattle to the shipping division for the convenience of the buyers.

Trade on cattle and cattle was rather slow at Fort Worth Monday. Mature fed steers and slaughter calves faced weak to 50 cents lower rates. Fat cows were steady to weak, and canners and cutters and heifers sold at steady prices. Stockers were generally steady, although some heavier weight and plainer kinds of stocker calves were steady to weak.

Good and choice slaughter steers and yearlings drew \$25.50 to \$27.50, and a few baby beef yearlings and heifers sold to \$28 and better. Medium and plain calves sold at \$18 to \$20.

Fat cows drew mostly \$18.50 to \$20.50, and canners and cutters sold for \$13 to \$18.50. Bulls drew \$8 to \$12.50. Good and choice slaughter calves bulked at \$25.50 to \$29, a few to \$29.50. Medium and plain calves sold from \$18 to \$25, and culls sold from \$17 to \$20.

Medium and good stocker steer calves sold from \$28 to \$33, a few lightweights above that figure.



PREACHING at both morning and evening services at the Calvary Baptist Church in South Hamlin Sunday will be James Woods (above), young Hamlin salesman, who surrendered to preach last year.

James Woods to Fill Calvary Baptist Pulpit

James Woods, young Hamlin salesman who surrendered to preach last year, will fill the pulpit at the Calvary Baptist Church in South Hamlin Sunday morning at evening, at 11:00 a. m. and 7:45 p. m., church leaders announced this week. The public is invited.

The church has been without a pastor since the resignation last month of Rev. G. C. Henry, who has retired.

W. L. Walker, 87, Dies at Post After Stroke Wednesday

Final rites for another old-timer of the Hamlin community, William Luther Walker, who had been a resident of the section for 35 years, were conducted last Thursday afternoon at the North Central Avenue Baptist Church.

Walker died last Wednesday evening at the Garza County Memorial Hospital in Post following a step-son in that city. He was 87 years of age.

Walker, a retired school teacher and salesman, was born November 17, 1871, in Henderson County, Texas, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Walker. He married the former Annie E. Ringgold at Abilene in 1922. The couple moved to this region in 1923. Mrs. Walker died in 1953.

Officiating at the funeral services was Rev. Woodrow McHugh, pastor of the Hamlin church. Deceased was a member of the Church of Christ.

Burial was in the Hamlin East Cemetery under the direction of Hamlin Funeral Home.

Surviving the octogenarian are one step-son, Charlie Wooderson of Post; one sister, Mrs. R. L. Larue of Eustace; one step-grandson and two step-great grandchildren.

Paul Bryan Lumber Co HAMLIN, TEXAS

CLOSED Monday, February 23rd for Washington's Birthday

This Bank will observe MONDAY, FEBRUARY 23, as a Legal Holiday in observance of the birthdate of the "Father of Our Country," George Washington (which falls on Sunday, February 22) Washington's great statesmanship, duty and vision laid the foundation for our great nation.

Patrons having transactions with the bank will please arrange their business affairs with this holiday in mind.

"Solid As A Rock"

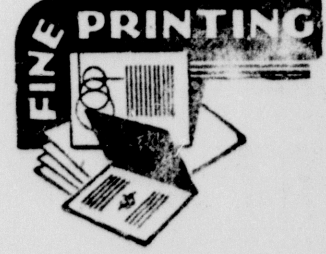
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Future Teachers of County Honored At Monday Meeting of Teacher Unit

Future Teachers of Jones County were special guest when members of the Jones County Teachers local unit of the Texas State Teachers Association met Monday evening in Stamford High School auditorium. Mrs. Joe Breed of Anson, president of the unit, presided over the business session.

Everett Beaver, Jones County school superintendent, who is chairman of the legislative committee, gave a concise report on current bills before the Legislature. He urged all administrators to attend the TSTA legislative workshop, which is to be held at Haskell February 25.

Special entertainment for the meeting was provided by Band Director W. E. Mayes of Stamford.

ford, who directed his high school and junior high school girls' choral group in four songs entitled, "O, Come, Emanuel," "Give Unto the World Thy Peace," "Be My Love" and "Young Lovers."

Wayne Forest of Hawley, program chairman, took charge of the program, which honored Future Teachers of Jones County. Groups of high school future teachers from Stamford, Hamlin and Anson were present. The Anson chapter of Future Teachers, under the sponsorship of Mrs. Hub Holland, gave a panel discussion on "How to Organize an FTA Chapter." A group of future teachers from Hamlin-Simmons University at Abilene was present with their sponsors, Mr. and Mrs. George D. Woody. Camey Hulse of the Abilene group spoke on the feminine reasons for "Why I Want to Teach." She is doing her practice teaching in the second grade in Abilene.

The masculine views on teaching as a career were given by Carlton Evans, a senior student in H-SU, who is majoring in secondary mathematics. Both of the young college students chose teaching as a vocation because of a desire to be of service to others and to help mold the character of the youths of our nation.

After the program a social hour was enjoyed by all present in the Stamford High School cafeteria, where cherry tarts and cold drinks were served.

Future Teachers from Hamlin High School who attended the meeting with their sponsor, Dora Mitchell, were: Eddie Gabriel, Iona Seaton, Sandra Smith, John Richey, Richard Winegeart, Betty Maberry, Gloria Rodgers, Barbara Butler, Linda Bingham, Martha Jordan and Zoan Winegeart.

ANY FRINGE BENEFITS?
Ten-year-old Johnny applied for a job as a grocery boy in the summer. The grocer wanted a serious minded boy, so he put him to a little test.

"What would you do with a million dollars?" the grocer asked. "Oh," answered Johnny. "I wasn't expecting quite that much to start."

Way to Fight Pink Bollworms in Cotton Presented in Leaflet

Cotton farmers of the Hamlin territory will be interested in a new leaflet, "Ways to Fight the Pink Bollworm in Texas," just released by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

The leaflet states that pink bollworm infestations now are generally distributed throughout the state and, if serious losses are to be avoided, it is essential that a sound program be planned and carried out in 1959.

Several ways to fight the pink bollworm are discussed at length in the leaflet. Some of the methods are keeping soil moisture high; uniform short planting period; using insecticides and miticides; stopping irrigation after maximum bolls are set; harvesting and destroying stalks early; and preventing winter carry-over.

Recommendations in the leaflet are based upon results of experiments conducted by the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station and the entomology research division of the Agricultural Research Service of the U. S. Department of Agriculture. It is available free of charge from local county agents or the Agricultural Information Office, College Station, Texas. Ask for L-219.



LAST B-36 AIRPLANE—Against background of the last active B-36 whose flight ended at Amon Carter Field near Fort Worth, Captain C. W. Bigham (left) of Biggs Air Force Base near El Paso, receives a world globe symbolizing his completion of 5,000 hours flown in a B-36 from Frank Davis, vice president and general manager of Convair's Fort Worth plant.

Youngsters at Hamlin Primary School Get Vision of Where Polio Dimes Go

Hamlin school children are some of the most liberal givers in the annual March of Dimes campaign, recently completed in the community. Their teachers are drive campaign workers who tell you that the pennies, nickels and dimes of these youngsters are among the cherished results of the annual drive for funds for the National Foundation.

The kids' contributions may not run into many dollars—but, like the widow's mite of the Bible, their contributions may be among the most liberal of the campaign.

Mrs. Fred Smith, principal of Hamlin Primary School will tell you that pupils in her school get "really wrought up" over the drive each year. "Those little blue plastic crutches that are presented to every child who gives even a penny to the campaign are popular souvenirs," she says. The children wear them proudly. And, to be sure, they make an impression on the youngsters' thinking, too. This fact makes each succeeding drive easier because they are made to realize that they are helping others—in most instances youngsters of similar ages—to walk or otherwise overcome handicaps.

Several days ago the students at the Primary School got a first hand view of where their pennies and nickels and dimes go.

Adella Perez, an eight-year-old pupil in the second grade, since birth has had a crippled foot that caused her to walk on the side of the member in a painful pose that seemed to cramp her whole

body. But, as a result of action by the school nurse, Mrs. Bill Davis, the child was taken to a specialist at the Abilene Rehabilitation Center and given treatment and aid. Her right foot was fitted with a special corrective shoe and a brace put on her lower limb. Now she is walking nearly normally, and complete recovery is expected within a few months.

Bill for the child's treatment and corrective equipment is being taken care of by the Jones County unit of the National Foundation, says Mrs. Ned Moore of Hamlin, county chairman.

Incidentally, 60 per cent of the money collected in the recent March of Dimes remains in the county for just such work, it is explained.

LOST AND FOUND.

Jesse Block and his wife, Eve Sully, the vaudeville stars, returned to their dressing room at the Palladium in London to find a thief had taken their jewelry.

They called Scotland Yard and a detective arrived complete with derby, pipe and umbrella. He questioned everyone so thoroughly there was no doubt in anyone's mind the jewels would soon be recovered.

The following day there was a phone call. "Mr. Block, this is Inspector Gray of Scotland Yard."

"Yes, yes," answered Block. "You've found our jewels?"

"No—but have you found my umbrella? I think I left it in your dressing room."

County Bond Sales Goal for 1959 Is Placed at \$487,000

Fay Atkinson and Buna Rountree of Hamlin last Thursday attended a district savings bond meeting at Abilene, when the 1959 savings bonds goal were announced.

The planning meeting was attended by bankers, bond volunteers and others from all counties in District 16, which includes Callahan, Eastland, Fisher, Haskell, Jones, Nolan, Shackelford, Stephens and Taylor Counties. Joe Smith, district chairman, presided at the meeting, which was sponsored by the West Texas Utilities Company.

"The 1959 goal for Texas is \$182,500,000, and the goal for Jones County is \$487,000," A. C. Humphrey, Jones County bond chairman, announced.

Harry Phillips, vice president of the First National Bank of Fort Worth and Fort Worth district bond chairman, was the key speaker at the meeting. Phillips, who represented the state of Texas at the national savings bond program, is a vital part of our country's defense efforts.

"Main theme of the bond program in 1959 will be to strengthen America's peace power—buy U. S. bonds," Phillips said.

Treasury citations were presented to those county chairmen who achieved their 1958 sales goals. Chairmen receiving awards

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Pastor—"Your daughter is quite young to get married. Do you think she's ready for the battle of life?"

Mother—"Well, Reverend, she ought to be prepared. She's already been through three engagements."

Eighth Graders Take Occupational Tests

Each eighth grade student at Hamlin Junior High School has been given the California Occupational Interest Test for intermediate grades, announced Principal M. D. Carlton. These tests are to aid the student in selecting high school courses which will be of value in occupational training.

Parents are urged to contact the junior high principal and arrange to see the cumulative folder of their child.

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Gandy's
ICE CREAM.....79c
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Soflin
PAPER NAPKINS.....2 for 19c
60-Count Pkgs.

Light Crust
FLOUR.....85c
10-lb. 25-lb.

Chicken of the Sea
TUNA FISH.....34c
9-oz. Car

Duncan Hines
CAKE MIXES.....2 for 63c
Reg. Pkgs.

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SALMON.....45c
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The Herald's Page for Women



Almeta Niedecken Becomes Bride of Stanley Kirby in Saturday Home Rites

In a double ring ceremony performed Saturday evening in the home of the bride's parents, Almeta Niedecken became the bride of Stanley Kirby of Anson. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Niedecken, and parents of the bridegroom are Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Kirby of Anson.

Rev. Calvin Bailey, pastor of the First Baptist Church, performed the double ring ceremony before the fire-place decorated with baskets of white stock and fern, flanked by candelabra holding white tapers.

Candle-lighters were Cynthia Lewis of Odessa, niece of the bridegroom, and Danny Niedecken of Hamlin, brother of the bride.

Mrs. Ray Wiseman of Haskell, aunt of the bridegroom, pianist, accompanied Jack Wilson of Anson, who sang "Because," "I Love You Truly" and "The Lord's Prayer." Mrs. Wiseman also played the traditional wedding music.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a white gown of acetate lace over acetate taffeta. The neckline was scalloped square with scalloped pleated insert net in the front with pointed sleeves. It had a long molded bodice in the back and a butterfly bow in the back. She wore pearls, a gift from the bridegroom. She carried a white Bible with camellias and roses tied with satin streamers. Her waist length veil fell from a small half-hat fashioned of white leaves, orange blossoms and rhinestones.

Mrs. Ben W. Niedecken Jr. of Houston served as her sister-in-law's matron-of-honor. She wore a blue taffeta dress with a full skirt with inserted pleats. She carried pink stem carnations with satin streamers.

Cynthia Lewis of Odessa, niece of the bridegroom, was junior bride's-maid. She wore a pink taffeta dress with a sweetheart neckline with a bow in the back and a full skirt. Her flowers were like those of the matron-of-honor.

Deborah Kay Niedecken of Houston, niece of the bride, was flower girl. She carried a white basket of rose petals.

Jimmy Niedecken of Hamlin, brother of the bride, was ring bearer. Best Man was W. L. Kirby Jr. of sweetwater, brother of the bridegroom.

The bride is a 1956 graduate of Hamlin High School. She attended Draughon's Business College in Abilene, and has been employed recently as a nurse at the Stamford Sanitarium.

Young Kirby is a 1951 graduate of Anson High School. He is employed with the Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation (ASC) office in Anson, and farms at Truby, southwest of Anson.

PLAUSIBLE ALIBI

A Los Angeles high school teacher received this note from a parent:

"Please excuse my son from his Spanish class. His throat is so sore he can hardly speak English."

Bride-to-Be Honored At Gift Tea Tuesday In Greenway Home

Almeta Niedecken, bride-elect of Stanley Kirby, was honored last Tuesday evening at a gift tea in the home of Mrs. Carl Greenway. Co-hostesses for the occasion were Mrs. S. C. Ferguson, Thomas Ferguson, C. M. Abbott, Edd Rodgers, J. K. Jones, Tom Brady, Gene Greenway, I. D. Miller, D. O. Waymire, Edgar Duncan, Connie O'Neal, Joe A. Simpson, Joe League and Lula Mae Crawford.

The honoree is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Niedecken of Hamlin. Her fiancé is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Kirby of Anson.

Guests were greeted by Mrs. Greenway; Mrs. B. W. Niedecken, mother of the bride-to-be; Mrs. W. L. Kirby, mother of the bridegroom-to-be; and his sister, Stella Kirby of Anson.

The tea table was covered with a lace trimmed pink linen tablecloth with a centerpiece of pink roses on top of a pyramid of white styrofoam with cupid on either side. Other appointments were pink candles and crystal.

Mrs. Joe League and Mrs. Edd Rodgers presided at the table.

Many beautiful gifts were displayed in gift rooms. Mrs. Waymire registered guests from Anson and Hamlin. Mrs. Tom Brady said the good-byes.

Advanced Clothing Workshops Planned At Points in County

Advanced clothing workshops will be conducted in Jones County, announces Mary Y. Newberry Jones County home demonstration agent. Home Demonstration Club members and non-club members interested are invited to attend. The following meetings have already been set:

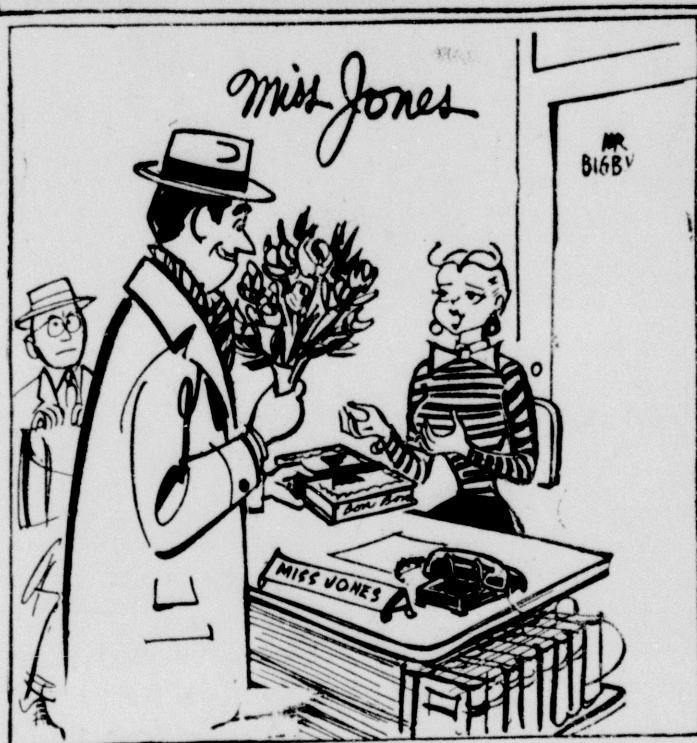
Tuxedo School House, February 19, at 2:30 p. m. If you are interested in attending this workshop and cannot attend this first meeting, contact Mrs. J. W. Osment, Mrs. Roy Williams or the agent.

Stith Community Center, Friday, February 20, at 2:00 p. m. Mrs. H. H. Windham, Mrs. Karl Bonneaux, Mrs. F. M. Cox or Mrs. John Glenwinkle can be contacted on this meeting if you are unable to attend the first meeting. This workshop is planned for women in the Goodman, Comper and Stith communities.

Avoca workshop, date to be announced later. Contact Mrs. C. R. Foster if you are interested and want to enroll.

THESE WOMEN!

By d'Alessio



"Certainly I can be trusted to arrange an appointment for you with the boss! When I'm bribed, I stay bribed!"

Wise Teen Learns Early to Arrange Balanced Wardrobe for Dressing Well

It's a wise teen who learns right early that it is a balanced wardrobe that will keep her well dressed at all times at all places.

And it's a wise mother who realizes when the right time comes to let her daughter shop for her own clothes, even though she may make a few mistakes.

Whether you are solely on a clothes allowance provided by your parents or if you have earned your clothing dollars by baby sitting, you will want to make your money count.

When you are tempted to buy a pretty plaid blouse, stop and think whether you have a plain skirt to go with it. A patterned or striped one simply will not do. If buying the plaid blouse would necessitate investing in a new skirt, when you can't afford it, forget it.

A fancy dress may be on sale at a fantastically low price and may be just your size. But be firm. If you have no place to wear such a garment, it's not a good buy.

When you buy a sweater, buy a good one. It will take two years' hard wear if you give it care. One of the new cold water soaps will keep your sweaters looking grand.

A teen-ager's balanced wardrobe might include a neutral colored skirt, a tweed skirt, a matching sweater and skirt (in a shade that will go with the tweed skirt), two white blouses, one autumn-winter cotton dress,

a winter coat, a car coat, a raincoat, a pair of low-heeled shoes, and a pair of suede or calf pumps.

And, once you get your wardrobe assembled, keep it in excellent condition. Then you'll all ways have that bandbox appearance.

CANDID COMMENT

While watching a movie heroine's pitiful struggle to find true love, a husband became more and more annoyed with his wife's sniffles. Finally he demanded, "Why is it you cry over the imaginary woes of people you never met?"

"For the same reason," his wife snapped back, "that you yell and scream when a man you don't know hits a home run."

Xi Gamma Phi Unit Meets Thursday in Gerald Young Home

Members of the Xi Gamma Phi chapter of Beta Sigma Phi met last Thursday evening in the home of Mrs. Gerald Young.

Cake and coffee were served to the following as they arrived: Mmes. Earl Smith, Holly Toler, Weldon Griggs, Arlie Cassle, E. J. Hawkins, E. D. Perrin, George Poe, John Bryant, Bill Feagan, Weldon Carlton, W. T. Johnson and Jerry Waggoner.

An invitation was extended to the chapter to the area convention that is to be held in Midland in May. Mrs. Arlie Cassle gave a report from the Woman's Forum.

Final plans were made for the Valentine party which was held on Friday evening at the Dr. E. J. Hawkins home. The other members of Beta Sigma Phi and the husbands of all were guests at the dinner party.

The following members volunteered to take part in the Heart Fund Drive Sunday afternoon: Mmes. Holly Toler, Gerald Young, E. D. Perrin, E. J. Hawkins, Weldon Griggs and Arlie Cassle.

Mrs. Weldon Griggs is an interesting professional "standby Art."

Next meeting of the sorority group will be in the home of Mrs. Earl Smith.

Hamlin Beauticians Attend Dallas Show

Mmes. Jackie Fletcher and Med Raney, Hamlin beauty shop operators, were among the hundreds of Texas hair stylists who attended the All Texas Beauty Show at the Adolphus Hotel in Dallas February 8, 9 and 10.

The program of entertainment, contests and demonstrations featured Marion Richards, hair stylist, educator and fashion coordinator; and R. V. Hays, renowned stylist, educator and lecturer.

Sharing Activities with Children May Be Key to Wholesome Relationships

A program of sharing activities should begin when children are young. Then parents are less likely to encounter the day when a child "clams up" and says nothing about his daily routine.

Toddlers and pre-schoolers naturally share in their mother's home activities because they are with her. But when a child enters school and goes into the lower and middle grades, many parents forget to share their life—their day's activities—after the child comes home from school.

Children wonder, perhaps unconsciously, what mother did all day, but they don't think to ask. Mother asks how their day went in school, but she, too, doesn't think to tell her children of her day at home. After mother goes to a party, she often relates the incidents in detail to her husband but not to her children.

Children also wonder, and should know about dad's day. What does he do all day? What happens when he goes to evening meetings?

Children of all ages love to hear stories. If you've had an especially good day, they want to enjoy your happiness with you. Or, if you've had a day when everything went wrong, you they understand why you are a bit cross.

Developing this share of interest between parent and child also

leads to other outside activities in which both parents and children can share. This might include anything along the hobby line.

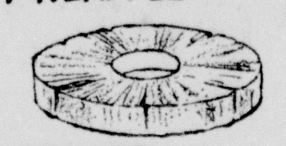
A study of art, music, literature, astronomy or other sciences might be something both can learn and enjoy together. Movies, television programs or school plays also could be subjects of mutual interest. Or perhaps a more active program could be developed with learning the art of ceramics making a herbarium, or planting a flower garden together.

MUSIC LOVER

Teen-ager (as the radio ground out the final notes of the latest hit of swing)—"Did you ever hear anything so wonderful?"

Father—"Only once—when a truck loaded with empty cans hit a freight car filled with ducks."

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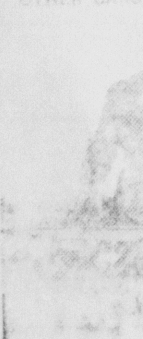


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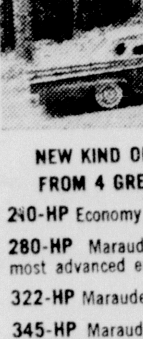
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Expansion of Rehabilitation Center Abilene Will Broaden Facilities

One of the Hamlin territory interested in proposed expansion of the West Texas Rehabilitation Center at Abilene, where thousands of people have received relief of crippling diseases, arthritis and retarded children. The May of Hamlin is a member of the board of directors.

Frank W. Meyers Jr., president of the board of directors of the Texas Rehabilitation Center, announced recently a new occupational therapy workshop at the center.

The contract was awarded to a construction company for 241, and sub-contractors are

Plowman-Long Electrical, Webb Plumbing Company and Ace Air Conditioning. Construction is to begin immediately.

Equipment for the new building will cost approximately \$1,800. This building will be used to repair and refinish old wheel chairs and various invalid equipment to be loaned to those who could not otherwise afford them.

Meyers also stated that the building and equipment will be purchased from funds donated by Mr. and Mrs. Conda Hays of Fort Chabourne.

Meyers expressed the sincere appreciation of the board of directors of the West Texas Rehabilitation Center to friends such as the Wileys and other generous West Texans who, through their donations, have built, equipped and operated the center. He pointed out that nearly \$50,000 in funds will be needed to operate the center with its present staff this year. He also pointed out that the patient load was increasing each month, and that there is a need at the present time for some additional staff members.

Meyers stated that United Fund of Abilene provided \$25,000 on operation expenses and the forthcoming Easter seal drive and unsolicited individual gifts help make out the balance of the budget.

Guides for Clothing Shoppers Available From County Agent

Men's sport shirts, women's street dresses and girls' school or sports dresses take a big share of the clothing dollar in most family budgets. Extension clothing specialists say these three items deserve special attention when you shop, because the many new fabrics, finishes, colors and styles make the job of selection pretty confusing.

Price is not necessarily a guide to quality. Specialists say it pays to look for a label that gives information on fiber content, care needed, color fastness and shrinkage. A salesperson whom you know well can give you much helpful information that will assure greater satisfaction and longer wear.

Buying guides and pointers on judging fabrics and finishes, selecting suitable styles, sizes and colors, and information on labels have been prepared by extension clothing specialists.

Three new leaflets, "Buying Sport Shirts," "Buying a Street Dress" and "Buying a Girl's School Dress," are available. Call or write your county home demonstration agent's office for copies of the leaflets.

Agent Demonstrates Use of Accessories

Mrs. Sol Brannstrom was hostess when members of the Friendship Home Demonstration Club met last Friday afternoon in the Hamden Memorial Library for their regular meeting.

Mary Y. Newberry, the county home demonstration agent, gave examples of how to take a basic dress and, by changing accessories, be smartly dressed for any occasion.

There were nine members present for the session.



MARRIED Monday of last week in rites performed at the First Baptist Church in Haskell was the former Brenda Fincannon (above). Her bridegroom is Samuel Gilbert Carothers of Swink, Oklahoma.

Brenda Fincannon
Weds S. G. Carothers

Brenda Lynette Fincannon of Hamlin and Samuel Gilbert Carothers of Swink, Oklahoma, exchanged wedding vows Monday of last week at the First Baptist Church in Haskell. Rev. M. D. Rexrode, pastor, officiated at the double ring ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Fincannon of Hamlin. Parents of the bridegroom are Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Carothers of Swink, Oklahoma.

The bride has been a student in Hamlin High School.

The newlyweds are making their home in Oklahoma.

Two New Members Received Friday by Hamlin Garden Club

Two new members, Mrs. C. F. Copeland and Mrs. C. W. Willingham, were elected to membership in the Hamlin Garden Club last Friday to take the place of two resignations. The session was held in the home of Mrs. Edgar Duncan.

Program leader for the evening was Mrs. Harold Bonner, and theme for the meeting was "Landscaping for the Future."

Mrs. R. D. Moore brought an interesting discussion on "Selecting and Locating Trees." Mrs. L. B. Gage pointed out the importance of "The Service Area." She compared the great difference in the service area of today from that of even 20 years ago.

A lovely Valentine arrangement in a silver compote was made by Mrs. R. C. Ritchey. Another arrangement of white styrofoam cups was displayed by Mrs. Duncan.

Literary Club to Have Mrs. Dudley Review

At a recent meeting of the Women's Literary Club plans were made to sponsor Mrs. L. E. Dudley in a book review. Mrs. Dudley is a well known Abilene civic worker, club woman and book reviewer. She is donating her services in the interest of the State Federation project of nursing scholarships.

The review will be given Thursday, February 26, at 3:00 o'clock p. m. in the Primary School cafeteria. Tickets are 50 cents and may be obtained from Mrs. Arlie Casale or any club woman, or they will be available at the door.

Scout leaders from 12 countries took training at the Schliff Scout Reservation at Mendham, New Jersey, in 1958.

Good Neighbor Club Gives \$25.50 to Area March of Dimes Drive

A collection of \$25.50 was made to the March of Dimes drive of the National Foundation when members of the Good Neighbor Home Demonstration Club met January 27 in the Neinda community center. The funds were turned over to John Scarborough, Neinda community chairman for the the campaign.

A program on "Housecleaning Made Easier" was presented by Mrs. L. R. Faulkenberry and Mrs. Elmer Joiner, with seven members present.

Mrs. Sam Hodges was elected as delegate to the Woman's Forum. The club also voted to buy one chair for the club room at the Harden Memorial Library in Hamlin.

On February 19 the club met with seven members present. The program was on "Selecting and Using Patterns," presented by the clothing leaders, Mrs. James Brown and Mrs. Buck Joiner.

Mrs. Mary Y. Newberry, the county home demonstration agent, will meet with the club group on February 24 for a demonstration on accessories. This is a very important program in the club series on clothing, and all members are urged to make a special effort to be present.

Reception in Home Of Bride Saturday Follows Ceremony

Following the wedding Saturday evening of Kimberly Niedeken and Stanley Kirby in Hamlin, a reception was held in the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Niedeken, for the attendants.

The bride's table was laid with a white cut-out cloth over pink. The attendants' flowers formed a centerpiece. The punch bowl was at one end and the bride's cake at the other.

Serving guests were the bride's aunt, Mrs. T. T. Bingham of Anson; Mrs. Lewis Curtis of Odessa, sister of the bridegroom; and Mrs. W. L. Kirby Jr. of Sweetwater, sister-in-law of the bridegroom.

The newlyweds left immediately following the reception for a brief wedding trip. For traveling the bride wore a black suit with blue shoes and white hat, and carried flowers from her bouquet.

The couple are at home on a farm at Truby.

Ruth Sunday School Class Meets in Social And Business Session

Members of the Ruth Sunday School Class of the North Central Avenue Baptist Church met in regular monthly social and business session in the home of Mrs. Jessie Patterson.

The meeting was called to order by the president, Mrs. L. R. Clark. Opening prayer was led by Mrs. Sid Gray. The class song, "Amazing Grace," was sung by the group. The monthly class report was given by Mrs. V. Madden, and the minutes were read by Mrs. Stuart. Devotional was brought by Mrs. Cross.

Refreshments were served to the following: Mrs. R. R. Christian, Katherine and Connie Cross, Bill Stuart, Henry Flemmons, Sid Gray, V. Madden, L. H. Clark, D. D. Phillips, Harold Lee, D. A. Mullings, E. B. Hopper and Jane and the hostess, Mrs. Pete Patterson. Closing prayer was given by Mrs. R. R. Christian.

A resourceful man isn't necessarily a man of means.



LIFE BEGINS FOR TURNCOAT—Claude Batchelor, the Kermit GI who was once given a life sentence for collaborating with the enemy during the Korean War, helps Mrs. Paul Lassiter with the dishes in the Lassiter home in Andrews. Batchelor was released from federal prison January 29 and was given a job as junior accountant by Paul Lassiter and is making his home with the Lassiters.

Training in Traffic Safety Practices At Home Can Save Lives, Expert Says

Like charity, safety should begin at home—then followed up at school and in the community, declares J. O. Musick, general manager of the Texas Safety Association.

Regrettably, far too few parents realize the importance of proper home training in the development of safety habits. Habits that may in later years mean the difference between a healthy, fruitful life or one of injury, regret and possibly an early death.

By proper home training I don't mean just plain, "No! No! Jimmy—that'll hurt!" Certainly the kind I'm speaking of requires direction and the dictation of the do—and don't—type, but the most

important lessons will be learned from parental example.

Tell a child to be careful when riding a bicycle, or not to dash into the street if of little avail if he sees father driving past a stop sign or mother jay-walking to the dress shop across the street.

If you doubt that parents are safety thoughtless, ask any school patrol boy. He will tell you that it is generally the parents who have the least regard for traffic safety rules; it is the parents who do the double parking ("I was just letting my child out and was going to move on in a minute").

Indeed, this is not a bright picture and promises to worsen as Texas' population increases with greater and greater rapidity.

Father-Daughter Banquet Planned by Sunshine Bluebirds

The Sunshine Bluebirds, fourth grade group of Bluebirds, met Monday afternoon at the Camp Fire Girls hut for their weekly meeting. They made plans for the annual father-daughter banquet, which will be held February 28 at 7:00 p. m. in the new high school gymnasium.

The girls exchanged Valentines. Vicki Acklin was honored with a birthday party, and gifts were opened by Vicki. Mrs. I. D. Acklin served cake and punch, and had Valentine suckers for plate favors.

Those attending were Jackie Jenkins, Joy Bonds, Margaret Ann Johnson, Linda Goodwin, Jeanie Young, Belinda Woods, Brenda Lee, Teresa Gabriel, Janet Kelly, Sue Roddy, Lynn Brannon, Betty Daniels, Sherry Cannon, Suzanne Wicker, Louise Lujan, Mary Ann Van Duren and Vicki Acklin; Mary Lou Woods, mascot; Letha Brannon, leaders; Clara Woods, assistant leader; Billie M. Wicker, sponsor; Mrs. I. D. Acklin and Paula Acklin.

GOOD QUESTION.

Lecturer—"Now, is there anyone here who would like to ask a question?"

Someone in the Audience—"Yeah, what time is it?"

ture and promises to worsen as Texas' population increases with greater and greater rapidity.

What can we do to extricate ourselves from the horns of this traffic dilemma? The first step should be taken in the home, through consistent safety training by both parents. Secondly, by careful example. Finally, by combining the first two steps to build healthy safety attitudes.

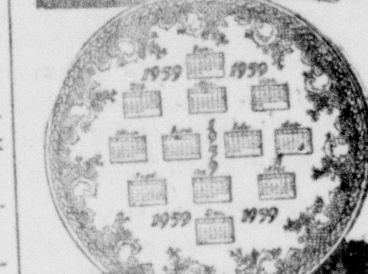
Fifty-Two Study Club To Honor Presidents

Next meeting of the Fifty-Two Study Club will be the Federation Day tea honoring past presidents on February 20.

Hostesses will be Mmes. E. J. Croan, W. G. Ferguson, Jerry Howard, L. A. Joiner, Dale Lala and Dean Witt at the home of Mrs. Noel Weaver.

The past presidents to be honored are Mmes. Jack Richey, Fred B. Moore Jr., Joe League, Wilson Brannon, Dean Witt and Noel Weaver. Guest speaker will be Mrs. Dave P. Walker of the Pierian Club of Stamford.

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Congressman Burleson Says Balanced Budget Difficult with Many Demands

Aside from subject of day-to-day interest or personal matters on which help is needed, the bulk of my mail at the present concerns the fiscal affairs of our government, declares Omar Burleson of Anson, congressman from this 18th Congressional District, in his weekly news release to The Herald. His release continues:

Specifically, people write me about balancing the budget, reducing expenditures and the reduction of taxes.

The president has presented a \$77,000,000,000 budget to the Congress. It is supposed to be a balanced budget, however, many "ifs" are involved.

1. If the nation's economic trend takes a sharp upturn in order to increase individual and corporate tax payments.
2. If the Congress grants the president's request to increase the federal gasoline tax by one and one-half cents per gallon.
3. If the Congress again grants the president's request to raise the price of first class postage stamps from four to five cents.
4. If some sort of "general service" tax, mentioned by the president but not spelled out in any detail, is enacted by the Congress.
5. If all government agencies guard against expanding existing programs, and this includes the Defense Department which is never sure when and where the next crisis is coming from—but one is almost sure to occur.
6. If the people will ask less—not more—in the way of federal projects, services and programs from the federal government.

To meet the requirements of a \$77,000,000,000 budget with all these "ifs," the president recommends a continuation of present individual income taxes, and extension of corporation profits and excise taxes upon the expiration date of June 30 of this year.

He also recommends a plan for taxing income of life insurance companies, a plan for taxing co-operatives in a different way than at present, and an amendment specifying treatment of the process computing percentage depletion in the case of mineral products.

There are indications that the president may make further tax recommendations to the Congress before very long.

Facing the facts, Congress is very limited in its choice of reducing expenditures of this huge government. This is especially true if we consider it is necessary to devote about 60 per cent of the entire cost of government for national defense. This leaves 40 per cent for all other purposes. Interest on the national debt accounts for another 10½ per cent. This leaves 29½ per cent. Veterans' benefits take 6½ per cent, and we have not yet paid for international affairs, which are equal to almost three per cent. Commerce and housing comes to 2.9 per cent, and agriculture 7.6 per cent. Add a 2.2 per cent for natural resources, and a little over five per cent for labor and welfare, and we still have not paid for general government expense. This item comes to 2.2 per cent, and an allowance of 0.1 per cent for contingencies finishes the total in costs of government.

This is not to say that all these figures become sacred, even national defense; but such programs as that for veterans, or the public debt, the farm program, and so forth, are fixed obligations for which the Congress must automatically make appropriation.

There is one thing certain: If the budget is to remain in any sort of near balance, the Congress certainly cannot launch out on more huge spending programs. There are already proposals in the mill for expenditures of between \$4,000,000,000 and \$5,000,000,000 not included in the budget to pay for such programs. This will mean one of two things: either taxes will have to be increased or more deficit financing. As everyone knows, the tax burden is already heavy, and deficit financing contributes to more inflation.

In a way, the answer is simple, but putting it into effect is something else. As individuals, most of us pretty nearly live within our means. It is common sense

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NO CHARGES LEFT.

If there's anything unpleasant about a judge's job, it is the fact that the poor man gets to see a lot of familiar faces.

This particular morning he stared over the top of his bench into the dejected eyes of one of his best customers, a man who previously had been before him for speeding, reckless driving, drunken driving, improper parking and lastly driving a car with faulty brakes.

"Oh, it's you again," the judge said. "Seems to me last time you were here I revoked your driver's license for a year. What's the charge this time?"

The defendant stared at the floor for a long time before he summoned up courage enough to answer. Finally, he spoke, "Jay walking."

that the government should do the same. It could be done if we had the will to discipline ourselves to it.

NICE TRY ANYWAY.

The Sunday School class was composed of four-year-olds. The teacher asked, "Do any of you remember who St. Matthew was?"

No answer.

"Well, does anyone remember who St. Mark was?"

Still no answer.

"Surely someone must remember who Peter was?"

The little faces were full of interest, but the room remained quiet. Finally a small voice broke the silence: "I think he was a wabbit."

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Impressive Gains Made in 1958 by Nazarene Church

Impressive gains in every area made the 1958 golden anniversary year one of the best in denominational history for the Church of the Nazarene, reports Rev. J. T. Jarrell, pastor of the Hamlin church.

The annual statistical report by Dr. S. T. Ludwig, general secretary, showed 232 new churches were established. These increased the total number of churches to 4,587. The previous high was 202 new churches established in 1951.

Church membership climbed about 9,500 persons to 301,700 or a gain of 3.8 per cent. During the decade of 1948-58 the denomination gained 85,500 members, or an increase of 39 per cent.

Three large anniversary goals were exceeded.

A total of 1,126,500 persons was witnessed to during the first church-wide week of witnessing October 5 through 12.

Also, for the first time in denominational history, the special offerings for world missions at Easter and Thanksgiving each exceeded \$1,000,000. The Easter offering went to \$1,040,000. On January 5, the Thanksgiving offering passed \$1,040,000 with gifts still coming in.

Sunday School enrollment gained 48,000 to total 673,750. The Foreign Missionary Society gained 18,500 to a total of 155,778, and the Young People's Society grew 2,800 members to 93,000.

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Have Everybody in the Church of His Choice on Sunday, February 22 . . .

No matter what your belief may be, you are urged to make unusual effort to be in the church of your choice. You will find friends there who are interested in feeding their souls spiritual food—which is just as essential to a well-rounded life as is physical food for a good physical body.



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The churches have Sunday Schools and other departments of activity for every age group, from tiny babies to the oldest adult. You will find people of your age and your thinking at the church of your choice. And, above all, you will find peace and encouragement that will help you along life's pathway.

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Less Grasshopper Damage Expected To Crops in 1959

Hamlin area farmers will find encouragement in the report from College Station that grasshoppers are likely to be more widespread in the West and Midwest this summer but are expected to be less destructive than in 1958.

A U. S. Department of Agriculture survey made last fall showed almost 23,000,000 acres with enough grasshoppers to damage crops and grass. The effective chemical treatment of some 8,000,000 infested acres last summer not only saved crops and grass but is now paying dividends in fewer grasshoppers.

The total acreage infested in Texas is placed at 3,460,000, according to Texas Agricultural Extension Service entomologists. The heaviest infestations were found in the two northern tiers of counties in the Panhandle and those along the Oklahoma line on the eastern side of the area.

In the South Plains area only spotted infestations were found by the surveyors. The infestation in the north central area was listed as light and these counties are primarily located adjacent to and including the Red River Valley from Childress eastward to Grayson. Other light infestations were noted in McLennan, Coryell and Lampasas Counties in Central Texas and in the river bottom lands of Johnson, Ellis and Navarro Counties.

The entomologists point out that weather conditions between now and hatching time will have a strong bearing on the number of hoppers which emerge from egg beds found during the survey last fall. Cool, wet weather with heavy rains during the spring hatching season could greatly reduce the hopper population, say the entomologists. Predators and grasshopper parasites could also have a pronounced effect on the infestations, they add.

A check will be made this spring during the hatching season to determine the areas where control measures may be needed. Farmers and ranchers in the areas where infestations could cause trouble are advised to keep a close watch on the egg beds during the hatching season.

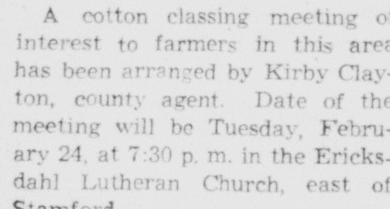
Cotton Classing to Be Discussed Tuesday at Ericksdahl Meeting

A cotton classing meeting of interest to farmers in this area has been arranged by Kirby Clayton, county agent. Date of the meeting will be Tuesday, February 24, at 7:30 p. m. in the Ericksdahl Lutheran Church, east of Stamford.

John L. McCollum, manager of the southwestern area of the United States Department of Agriculture, cotton classing division, of Dallas, will be in charge of the meeting. He will have a demonstration of standards and staple types and samples for farmers to observe.

Also to be discussed at the meeting is the possibility of setting up a cotton classing office in Stamford.

Everyone interested in cotton production is urged to attend the meeting.



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Representative Leon Thurman Says Legislative Work Gets Rolling Rapidly

This begins another week in the fifty-sixth Legislature, and things have really begun to pick up at a rapid rate, notes Representative Leon Thurman of Anson, in his weekly news release to The Herald. He continues: All committees are now in full swing, and hearings are being had on all bills that have been referred to the committees by the speaker of the house.

The appropriations committee has been in session from 8:00 to 5:00 every day since it was appointed, and other committees are working at various times.

Today there is a meeting of the education committee, of which your representative is a member, for the consideration of three bills. These three bills are: House Bill No. 249 by Foreman, which

National Guardsmen Will Participate in Muster Day Services

Members of the Texas National Guard are planning to participate next Sunday in festivities of Muster Day, which will call attention of people of the country to the National Guard organization.

Eight members of the unit at Stamford are from Hamlin, including First Lieutenant Joe Ford, a long time officer in the group. Special activities are included in plans for the day. Members will attend church services as a group. During the afternoon the armory and equipment of the Stamford unit will be open for inspection by the public.

The Army National Guard is the oldest military establishment in the United States, older than the nation itself. Two units, the 182nd Infantry Regiment and the 101st Engineer Battalion of the Massachusetts National Guard, were organized in 1636. Since that time, the guard has fought in every major conflict in which the United States has been engaged. During our early years as a nation, settlers met in the village square to train for their local protection. It is much the same today. Except twentieth century minutemen meet in modern armories instead of on the village green, and train with modern equipment instead of muskets.

MATCHETT HAS SURGERY.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Matchett returned home Monday from Wichita Falls, where Matchett underwent surgery for his ears. Final result of the operation will not be known for about three weeks, his doctors advised.

Future Farmers of State to Celebrate FFA Special Week

Future Farmers of America of Hamlin High School and others of the state will be celebrating FFA Week beginning Saturday.

Governor Price Daniel and Dr. J. W. Edgar, commissioner of education, complimented the 36,000 Texas Future Farmers this week as the organization prepared to celebrate FFA Week in Texas February 21 to 28.

Bill McDowell, state FFA president, received the proclamation of the special week from Governor Daniel on behalf of the largest state FFA association.

"The FFA is composed of boys who are studying vocational agriculture in the public schools in preparation for careers in farming, ranching and related agricultural occupations. In studying the science of agriculture, these Future Farmers are striving to continuously improve this great industry for the welfare of all citizens," the governor said.

Governor Daniel pointed out the valuable service the FFA has performed for our state by developing leadership, encouraging cooperation, promoting good citizenship, teaching sound methods of farming, and inspiring patriotism among its members.

Dr. Edgar commended the vocational agriculture students in the 900 high schools in the state for their aggressive leadership training program. "Through FFA the boys who have the will, the energy and the foresight are developing into outstanding farmers and ranchers, leaders in their community and well rounded citizens of our country," Edgar added.

Sunday Schools Hold Above-1,200 Total for Sunday Attendance

Sunday School attendance at most Hamlin churches was maintained comparable with the previous week Sunday as the total for the 12 reporting churches stayed above 1,200. The 1,250 total was 26 less than the previous Sunday, but was 39 more than the year ago figure.

Attendance, by churches, for February 15, February 8 and a year ago follows:

Churches—	Feb. 15	Feb. 8	Year Ago
First Baptist.....	346	376	357
No. Cen. Baptist.....	63	83	58
Oak Gr. Col. Baptist.....	56	52	51
Ch. of Nazarene.....	84	79	91
Foursquare Gospel.....	59	73	54
First Methodist.....	236	233	233
Church of Christ.....	160	139	188
Faith Methodist.....	61	50	28
Assembly of God.....	48	51	28
Sunset Baptist.....	51	51	48
Mexican Mission.....	34	32	44
Calvary Baptist.....	52	57	31
Totals.....	1250	1276	1211

STUPID QUESTION.

Out on Long Island one night a fast moving automobile suddenly jumped the road, leapt over a couple of retaining walls and rolled over on its back in an adjoining field.

A highway patrolman, hard on the speeder's heels, pulled up beside the overturned car.

"What in blazes d'ya think you are doing?" he demanded. "You drunk or something?"

"Corny I'm drunk," snapped the driver. "Whaddya think I am—a stunt driver?"

Regret for time wasted can become a power for good in the time that remains if we will only stop the waste and the idle, useless regretting.—Arthur Brisbane.

Virtually all sins are expensive. Behave yourself and save the difference.

Gerald W. Tabb of Hamlin Participates in Big Army Alert

A soldier from the Hamlin area recently participated with the Fourth Armored Division in Exercise Free Play, a large scale Seventh Army field training exercise in Germany, according to a release from that unit's base in Germany to The Herald.

He was Private First Class Gerald W. Tabb, whose wife, Evelyn, lives on Route 1, McCauley.

The maneuver was designed to determine the readiness of units and to provide further training in the various concepts of modern warfare.

Tabb, a wireman in Headquarters Battery of the Fourth's 16th Artillery, entered the Army in May, 1957, and received basic combat training at Fort Hood, Texas. He arrived in Europe in November, 1957.

The 23-year-old soldier is a 1953 graduate of McCauley High School and was employed by Callaway's Tile Company in Abilene before entering the Army. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. William H. Tabb of Route 3, Hamlin.

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HAMLIN AREA FF. BOYS will participate in the celebration of FFA Week in Texas beginning Saturday. Governor Price Daniel and Dr. J. W. Edgar, commissioner of education, compliment the 36,000 Texas Future Farmers. Bill McDowell, state FFA president, is shown receiving a proclamation from Governor Daniel designating February 21-28 as FFA Week in Texas.

Federal Spending Recommendations Given Thorough Study, Says Senator

Let's talk some facts of public office and public life, specifically as it concerns spending, suggests the weekly news letter of U. S. Senator Lyndon B. Johnson to The Herald. The release continues: No political party has a copyright on Henry Fielding's good advice: "A penny saved is a penny got." The rules of prudence and thrift apply equally well in public office and private life. We all know that. It's common sense.

Those same good rules apply today to the budget recommendations which come to the Congress from the president.

These recommendations go to a committee, then to a sub-committee. They are studied and reviewed line by line and item by item. They are gone over dollar by dollar. Then the Congress determines what it will do with the president's budget recommendations.

Let's take a look at what the Congress has done in the past. It shows more than \$10,000,000 were whittled by the Congress from the budget recommendations.

Total budget cuts by Congress

HAMLIN MEMORIAL HOSPITAL

Patients admitted to the Hamlin Memorial Hospital since last week's report in The Herald have included: Mrs. W. F. Lasseter, medical, February 8; Mike Carroll of Abilene, medical, February 8; M. D. Brown, medical, February 8; James Crowley, medical, February 8; Mrs. R. A. Guthrie, surgical, February 9; C. M. McCain of Sylvester, medical, February 9; Jerry Crowley, medical, February 9; Mrs. L. B. Maberry, medical, February 9; Mrs. Lois Stevens of Rotan, medical, February 9; C. B. McKeever of Aspermont, medical, February 9; Mrs. Bobby Bounds of Wichita Falls, ob, February 9; Mrs. C. S. Robinson of Sylvester, medical, February 10; Ronald Joiner, medical, February 10; Mrs. Albert Neeley, medical, February 10; Mrs. Charles Cary, ob, February 11; Tommy McHugh, medical, February 11; Donald Scott, medical, February 11; Mrs. Manuel Lechuga, medical, February 11; Mrs. Fred Jay, surgical, February 11; Mrs. Oscar Dickerson of Aspermont, surgical, February 12; Mrs. E. C. Martinez, surgical, February 12; Mrs. Tom Matthews of Peacock, surgical, February 13; Gus Travis, medical, February 13; Mrs. Florence Peters of Roby, medical, February 13; Mrs. Billy W. Jeffrey, ob, February 13; C. H. Irvine, surgical, February 13; Mrs. Kenneth Hayes, medical, February 13; Mrs. Tom Simmons of Roby, medical, February 13; Diana Cvoington, medical, February 13; Mrs. Gene Moore, medical, February 14; Mrs. C. S. Robinson of Sylvester, medical, February 14; Jackie Ruth-erford of Aspermont, medical, February 14; Cynthia Westmoreland, medical, February 15.

Patients Dismissed—Mrs. C. L. Meyner, February 11; Mrs. Bill Scott, February 12; Mrs. Alvin Conner, February 13; Florence Peters, February 13; Mrs. C. J. Sewell, February 13; Gary Neal, February 8; Cynthia Westmoreland, February 10; Mrs. Clyde Carroll, February 14; Mrs. Fred Kemp, February 13; Mrs. Martha Musick, February 13; Bob Parker, February 9; Toni Hawkins, February 11; Mrs. Matt Brown, February 11; Mrs. Cliff Crowley, February 10; Donnie Fraser, February 10; Mrs. L. E. Hines, February 14; Mike Carroll of Abilene, February 12; James Crowley, February 12; C. M. McCain of Sylvester, February 12; Jerry Crowley, February 12; Mrs. L. B. Maberry, February 12; Mrs. Lois Stevens of Rotan, February 13; C. B. McKeever of Aspermont, February 12; Mrs. Bobby Bounds of Wichita Falls, February 12; Mrs. C. S. Robinson of Sylvester, February 10;

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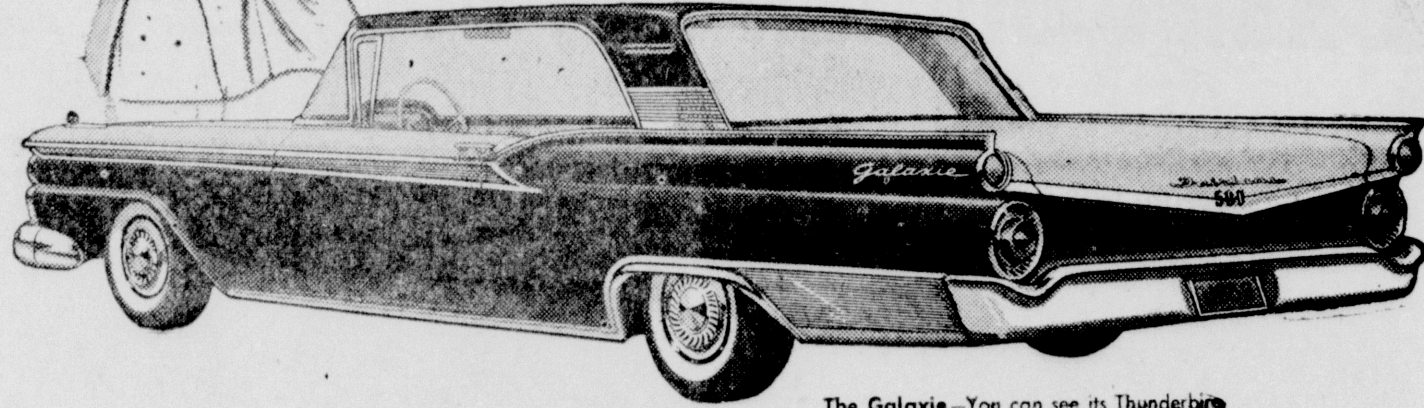
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STATE CAPITAL Highlights AND Sidelights by Vern Sanford TEXAS PRESS ASSOCIATION

Austin. The season of the "hard luck story" is in full swing. Legislative committees have to do with taxing and spending are in almost constant sessions. On the one hand they hear from the state agencies that want more money for their dire needs, of the gloomy future that awaits the state if their programs are underfinanced.

Equally mournful are the stories of those who would be the targets of new taxes. It would be like putting up a "Keep Out of Texas" sign for new businesses and accompanying prosperity, say many business and civic leaders of the sharp new tax bites. Texas communities trying to build up their areas by bringing in money-making enterprises would have the rug pulled out from under them, say the tax critics.

In this arena of clashing view points, the legislators must serve as both judge and jury. Few lawmakers expect to collect any nose-gays for their efforts—no matter how sincere or well considered. Some expect they may have to displease both groups—but cutting spending requests and raising taxes—all in one woeful session.

Bane to Business.—As expected, businesses, large and small, take a dim view of Governor Price Daniel's proposal to increase corporation franchise taxes.

Industry spokesmen told of probable increases of from 50 to 250 per cent in the amount they would have to pay. They complained, too, that they'd have to pay a tax whether they were making money or not, since the tax would be on capital, rather than income.

Representative J. E. Winfree of Houston, sponsor of the bill, told the business representatives, in effect, "It's this or something else."

UT Pleads Case.—University of Texas "will sink back into mediocrity," declared exes and officials, unless the school gets a better appropriation deal than that proposed by the Legislative Budget Board.

University officials asked for a two-year appropriation of about \$34,006,067. Budget board recommended \$27,920,624.

Dr. Logan Wilson told the House appropriations committee that people seemed willing to pay broad based taxes for highways. Why not for higher education?

Herman Jones, Austin attorney and spokesman for alumni, emphasized the importance of improved education to this country's position in international affairs. "I don't want it put in the history books that this generation kept the budget low and let the nation die," said Jones.

UT officials also said they would

be opposed to establishing a third medical branch—at San Antonio, Austin or elsewhere—until they have gotten enough money to make "first class" the existing Dallas and Galveston branches.

Prison Problems.—Even more impassioned are the pleas of those concerned with appropriations for the Department of Corrections.

Texas prison system operated at about half the national average cost per inmate, says Superintendent O. B. Ellis. For some years board members have been warning of dangerously overcrowded conditions, and the need for more buildings.

A slash in funds and personnel, as proposed by the Legislative Budget Board, would bring sheer ruin to the bulging prisons, in Ellis' view.

Prison system has an even more immediate punch, in that it hasn't money to finish out this fiscal year. It had a crop failure last year when floods wiped out cotton or well considered.

Since the prison system is heavily dependent on its own production, it, like any hard-hit farmer, needs some "cash money"—about \$500,000—to tide it over for this year.

Something's Gotta Go.—We just can't continue our present services and take a budget cut, too, Texas A. & M. Extension Service officials told legislators.

Budget board recommended a slightly lower extension service appropriation for 1960 than it had for 1959. Service had asked for sizeable increase to help offset extension loss of county agents to better salaried jobs in industry.

Spokesmen for the Farm Bureau and numerous other rural groups appeared before the House appropriations committee to plead the importance of extension service work.

Deadline Extended.—Senate general investigating committee, a creation of the last session, has until March 2 to complete its voluminous report.

After nearly 20 months of activity, the committee has had 27 hearings, piled up 7,500 pages of testimony. All hearings were public, and some brought up setting repercussions in the fields of insurance regulation and tax collecting.

Senator Charles Herring of Austin, chairman, is recommending such work be continued by a joint House-Senate committee. There must be some sort of "watch dog," Herring believes, for the state's billion-dollar-a-year business.

Slow Down!—Chronic speeders would soon find themselves getting around on shoe leather under

KERRY DRAKE



a strict new measure proposed by Representative Ben Lewis of Dallas.

Under the bill, the first speeding conviction would bring a 30-day license suspension; the second, a 60-day suspension; the third, six months; and all thereafter, one year. A record of each conviction would be carried on the driver's license.

Speeding, Lewis pointed out, is regarded as a leading cause of accidents.

Anti Hair Splitting.—"Harmless errors" would no longer be grounds for reversal of a criminal court conviction under a measure being sponsored by Representative Tom James of Dallas.

Only "substantive errors" would

VISIT IN ARIZONA.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Perry and daughter, Linda, returned Monday morning from Wilcox, Arizona, where they visited another daughter, Mrs. James Eddie Jay, and family. They were accompanied home by Mrs. Charles Absher, who had been visiting her husband at Fort Huachuca, Arizona.

require the throwing out of a trial court decision.

There has been some criticism in recent years of Court of Criminal Appeals decisions which nullified convictions because of such things as misspellings and typographical errors. James' bill was recommended by the Texas Law Commission.

Superintendent Goes To Austin Conference

Superintendent of Schools C. F. Cook was in Austin first of last week attending a meeting of the Texas state committee on public education.

The sessions had to do with a study of school curriculums. The program featured J. W. Edgar, chairman of the state education commission, and members of his staff.

Also on the program were Dr. John McFarland, superintendent of schools at Houston, who spoke on administrative topics; and Dr. James Bryant Conant, president emeritus of Harvard University, nationally known authority on American high schools.

LOGICAL LOGIC.

A college professor of logic was attempting to teach his young son the principles of clear thinking and the necessity for defining all terms. He pointed to a wall clock which had just struck the hour.

"Now if I were to take a hammer and smash the clock," he said, "could I be arrested for killing time?"

"No," said the lad without a moment's hesitation. "It would be self defense."

The professor frowned. "How do you figure that out?"

"Because," answered the boy, "the clock struck first."

A man of integrity will never listen to any plea against conscience.—Henry Home.

Projects to Stem Population Loss Suggested to Lions

Constructive work needs to be done by leaders of the community to stem the movement of population from the farming and ranching area and the towns that serves these segments to the big cities, declared Carl Murrell, executive director of the Hamlin Board of Community Development, when he spoke at the Tuesday noon luncheon meeting of the Lions Club at the oil mill guest house. He is now chairman of the industrial committee of the BCD.

He recounted shifts of population from the four-county area around Hamlin, showing that Jones, Fisher, Stonewall and Haskell Counties had lost some 12,000 population since 1930, dropping from 60,132 in 1930 to an estimated 48,255 in 1958.

While the 132-county area included in the West Texas Chamber of Commerce territory showed a gain of some 50 per cent during the past 18 years, most of the population gains are in the larger cities like Fort Worth, El Paso, Lubbock, Abilene, Midland and Odessa. He noted that Hamlin proper had shown a decided gain during the period.

Las Vegas Trip Won By Vera Culbertson

Vera Culbertson of 53 North Central Avenue in Hamlin has won an all-expense trip to Las Vegas, Nevada, in a magazine sales contest sponsored by Curtis Circulation Company of Philadelphia.

Miss Culbertson, a district organization representative for the company, leaves February 17 for Las Vegas, where she will stay three days as the company's guest at the luxurious Stardust Hotel on "The Strip." The all-expense trip is her reward for an exceptional performance in magazine sales for her district during the 16 weeks from September 8 through December 27, 1958.

Murrell gave details of efforts of his BCD committee to secure the location of a correctional institution for boys for the Hamlin area. Location of the site will be determined by the Texas Legislature, he advised. His committee is following through on the project.

Dwayne Stallcup, manager of Hughes Tool Company's office in Hamlin, was initiated as a new member of the Lions Club by Acting President B. V. Newberry.

Besides Murrell, other guests at the Tuesday luncheon included O. R. Grever of Abilene and Wesley Nail.

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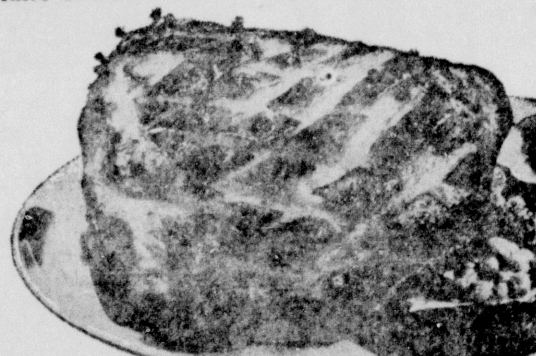


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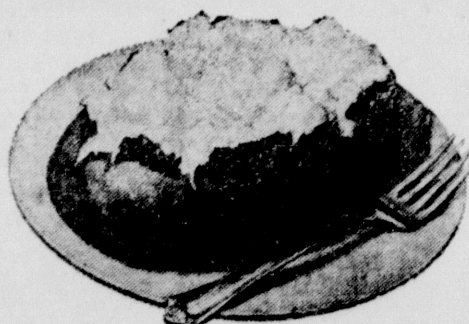


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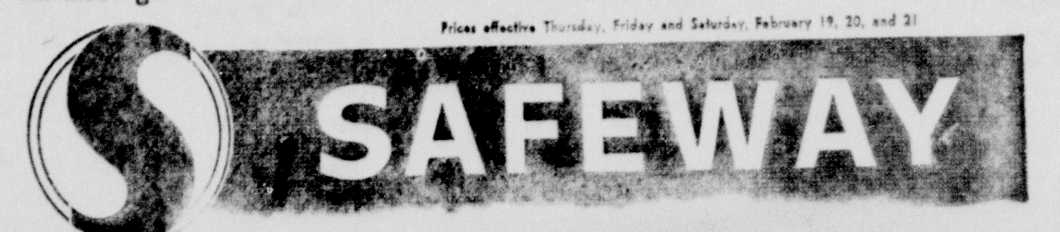
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Prices effective at Hamlin for Thursday, Friday and Saturday, February 19, 20, 21. We reserve right to limit quantities. No sales to dealers.

Water Conditions Report Confirms Below Normal Moisture in Territory

Most streams and reservoirs in the Hamlin section showed declines from the previous month in the monthly water conditions report of the Texas Board of Water Engineers just released to The Herald, verifying the continuing below normal dry condition that has persisted for several months.

Streams heading on the Edwards Plateau and crossing the Balcones fault zone continued to have above normal flow through January, the report continues. Flow in most other streams across the state was below normal except in the coastal area, where sharp rises occurred in the southeast on January 30, and in the Trinity, Brazos and Colorado Rivers, where flow was sustained by releases from up-river reservoirs.

Total usable storage in 34 major Texas reservoirs changed very little during January, decreasing only 182,040 acre feet to 8,537,350 acre feet, which is 82 per cent of conservation capacity. Total storage which includes temporary storage of water in flood pools, was 9,649,980 acre feet or 45 per cent of total storage capacity.

In eight selected observation wells, five recorded a rise in water levels; two showed a decline; and one recorded no change. A new all-time high was set in the Travis County well near Buda, and new January lows were set in the El Paso area well and in the two Harris County wells.

January was a cold, dry month over most of Texas. Average temperatures at all first order weather bureau stations except El Paso were below normal.

January, 1959, was the driest on record at Dallas. The trace of rain at San Angelo tied the previous January records set in 1912 and 1914. Waco's 29 is the least amount received since 1928.

Rainfall was below normal at all stations except Brownsville and Corpus Christi, according to a survey just completed by the weather bureau state climatologist at Austin.

Rainfall totals and normal precipitation for selected weather bureau stations are shown in the following table:

Station—	Jan.	Fall	Normal
Arlene	.04	.88	
Amarillo	.16	.64	
Austin	.42	2.63	
Brownsville	2.98	1.43	
Corpus Christi	1.74	1.39	
Dallas	.30	2.47	
El Paso	.21	.42	
Fort Worth	.36	2.42	
Galveston	1.22	4.09	
Houston	2.70	4.16	
Leado	.40	1.02	
Lubbock	.08	.67	
M'Hard	.06	.62	
Port Arthur	2.97	5.12	
San Angelo	Trace	.99	
San Antonio	.52	1.81	
Victoria	.31	2.72	
Waco	.29	2.38	
Wichita Falls	.21	1.31	
Shreveport, La.	1.17	4.72	

Only a few reservoirs over the state held their capacity of storage at the end of January. Paint

Low Temperature Adds Realism to Ferguson Feature

Latest evidence of Hollywood realism to benefit cast as well as audience is in evidence in the spy Army comedy, "The Perfect Furlough," playing at the Ferguson Theater Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, with Tony Curtis, Janet Leigh, Linda Cristal, Keenan Wynn and Elaine Stritch providing the fun.

An Eskimo village, complete with igloos and Hollywood version of deep snow, had been built on a sound stage for one of the sequences dealing with the plight of 104 snow-bound GIs, among them Tony Curtis. When Director Blake Edwards viewed the set he had one suggestion—that they drop the temperature on the stage to a shade above freezing, which was accomplished with huge cooling machines.

Next morning when the cast arrived for scenes at the Eskimo village Edwards had no trouble getting them to simulate that chilled-to-the-bone feeling.

Freight Carloadings For Santa Fe Still Up

Freight carloadings from the Santa Fe Railway System for the week ending February 7, 1959, were 21,673 compared with 20,291 for the same week a year ago, reflecting an increase. Cars received from connections totaled 11,689 compared with 10,244 for the same week a year ago.

Total cars moved were 33,362 compared with 30,535 for the same week a year ago. Santa Fe handled a total of 34,931 cars in the preceding week this year.

Creek Lake near Haskell, from which Stamford and Hamlin get most of their domestic water, was 88 per cent full, two per cent below the record for December. Reports on a select group of reservoirs of the state in which people of the Hamlin area might be interested follows. The tables show contents in acre feet at the end of January and percentage of capacity:

Reservoir—	Present Contents	% of Cap.
Lake Kemp	217,100	50%
Lake Texoma	2,380,000	42%
Lake Bridgeport	234,900	87%
Eagle Mountain	170,200	93%
Fort Phantom	66,480	89%
Paint Creek	53,500	88%
Possum Kingdom	524,000	72%
Lake Whitney	346,200	91%
J. B. Thomas	165,860	82%
Colorado City	21,680	71%
Oak Creek	31,370	81%
San Angelo	86,350	97%
Lake Brownwood	99,360	72%
Lake Buchanan	763,000	77%
Granite Shoals	130,000	75%
Lake Medina	253,400	100%
Red Bluff	108,200	35%
Lake Falcon	2,966,000	73%

Joe Ford Promoted to Commander of Unit

First Lieutenant Joe E. Ford, a member of Company M, 142nd Infantry Regiment of the Texas National Guard at Stamford, since January, 1951, has been appointed company commander of the Stamford unit. First Lieutenant Ford is a resident of Hamlin and is employed by the Farmers & Merchants National Bank.

At present the local guard unit has three officers, one warrant officer and 71 men. There are openings for two officers and four enlisted men.

Lieutenant Ford replaces Captain James W. Lindsey, who has commanded the unit since 1950.

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New Books Added to Harden Library List

Seven new books have recently been placed in the Harden Memorial Library by the Hamlin Woman's Forum, sponsoring organization.

These books are new best sellers and should be well received by the reading public. The titles are: "The Ugly American" by Lederer and Burdick; "The Short

Summer" by Louisa Grace Erdman; "The Thorn of Armathea" by Frank G. Slaughter; "The Story of Albert Sweitzer" by Anita Daniel; "Steps to the Stars" by Lester Del Rey; "The Story of the Marines" by George P. Hunt; and "The Horse Tamer" by Walter Farley.

The basis of all integrity and character is whatever faith we have in our own integrity.—Roy L. Smith.

QUICK THINKING.

Jock—"I want only an empty bottle."
Clerk—"It will be 10 cents, but if I put something in it, there will be no charge for the bottle."
Jock—"Good. Put a cork in it."

The purpose of learning to employ every minute properly is to unclutter our hours, deliver us of feverish activity and earn us true leisure.—Robert R. Updegraff.

SINK OR SOCK.

A Navy recruit lost his rifle on the firing range. When told he would have to pay for it, he protested. "Suppose I was driving a jeep and somebody stole it. Would I have to pay for that, too?"
He was informed that he would have to pay.
"Now," said the recruit, "I know why the captain always goes down with his ship."

Second sheets at The Herald.

Milk Producers Get \$5.78 During January

Producers delivering milk to handlers regulated by the Central West Texas federal order will receive a minimum price of \$5.78 per 100 pounds for four per cent milk during January, 1959, according to an announcement this week by Byford W. Bain, market administrator. A number of pro-

ducers are in the area south of Hamlin.

During January there were 518 producers delivering milk on the Central West Texas market who delivered a total of 14,690,608 pounds for an average daily delivery of 473,891 pounds. This represents a decrease of 2.44 per cent from December, 1958.

Our deeds determine us as much as we determine our deeds.—George Eliot.

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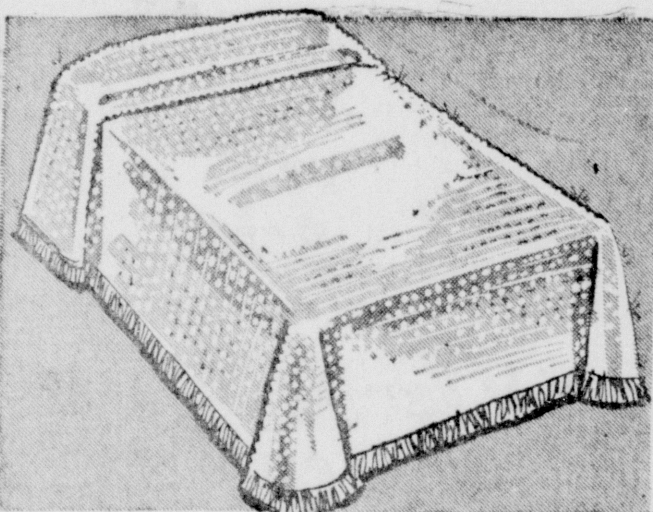
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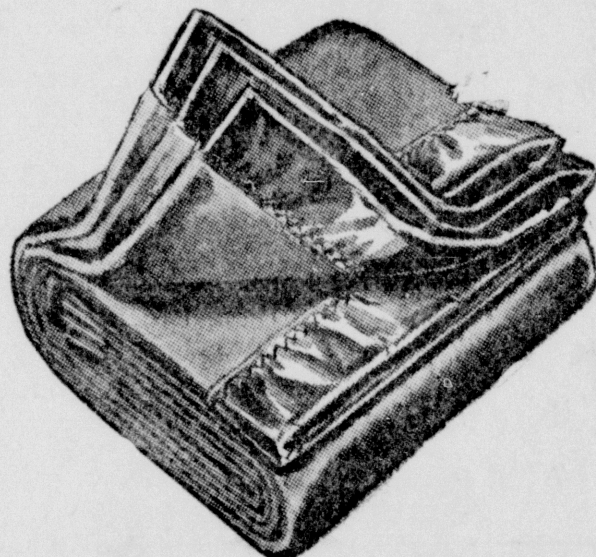
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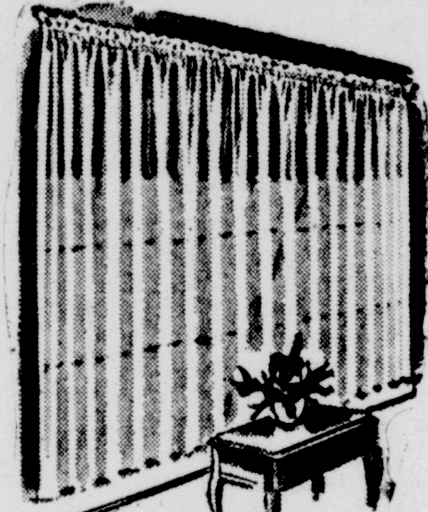
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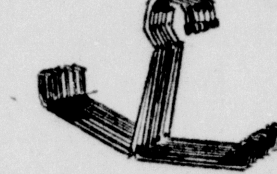
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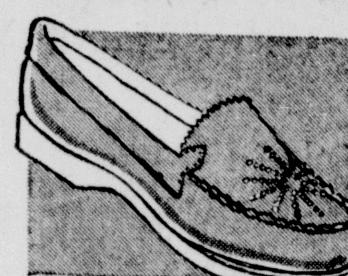


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